PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Yutaka TOYODA et al.

Application No.: New US Application

Filed: July 24, 2003 Docket No.: 116656

For: CLEANING SHEET, CLEANING METHOD, AND IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims;

Remarks.